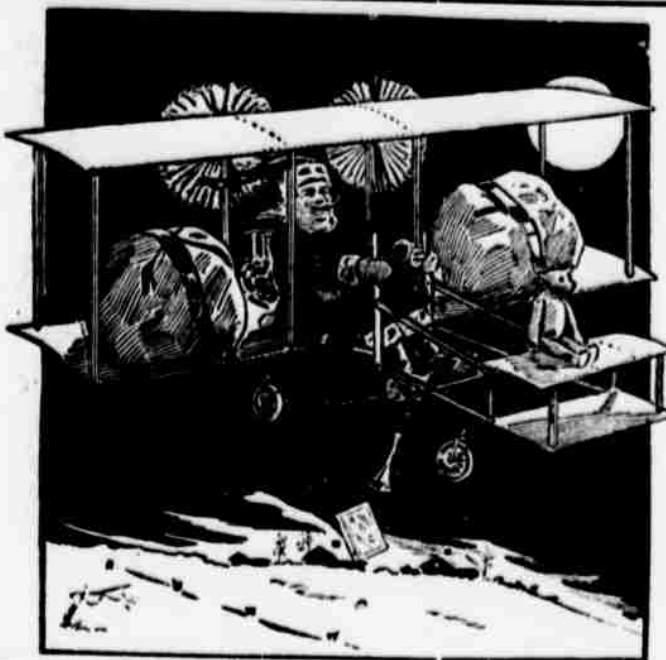


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Old Santa is making our store his place of business.

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Oregon, Mo.

School Notes, O. H. S.

The holidays will begin Friday of this week and last until Monday, Jan. 3, 1916. There will be no school on Friday so as to permit teachers and pupils who live out of town to be at home for Christmas.

The finishing touches are now being put on the new high school building and will be finished in time for school at the beginning of the New Year. The date for the opening will be announced later at which time the building will be open for the inspection of every one.

Miss Helen Thatcher, one of our last year's graduates, visited school Friday afternoon. Miss Thatcher is teaching this year, and is having great success.

The pupils of the fifth grade, Miss Nellie Kennedy, teacher, are rejoicing that this is their last week in the old house. This building has been sold and it is to be removed from the grounds as soon as vacated.

Miss Winebrenner of the high school will leave the last of the week to spend the holidays at her home in Clarksburg, Mo.

An Unusual Incident.

In 1878-79 I was the pastor of Jarrett Ingram, wife and two little girls in Lincoln county, Mo. For 32 years I had no communication of any kind with the family and then came a letter from the older daughter telling me that her parents were in ill health, and asking if I would preach the funeral when the time came. Having answered in the affirmative, about five months later the call came to go to Bowling Green, Mo., 202 miles east, of Kansas City, to preach the funeral of the mother, and Thursday of last week I was called to the same place to preach the funeral of the father. The daughter told me that she had kept track of my appointments from the time I was frequently in their home when she was seven or eight years old up to the present time. She is now teacher of mathematics in the high school at Bowling Green and the students, 120 in number, were present in a body.

J. W. ANDERSON.

C. D. Zook's Condition.

We are glad to announce that the condition of C. D. Zook, who was taken to Kansas City, Sunday, December 12, for a medical examination, is now much improved, the examination developing the fact that there was a small stone in the left kidney, which they think they have entirely removed by the olive oil treatment, and he is now much relieved, although his left leg is giving him a little trouble from clots of blood in the veins, which, however, will only be temporary, requiring him to keep off his feet for a few days. Mrs. Zook, who has been with him nearly all of the time, returned home Wednesday evening of this week, leaving him at the home of their children, Dr. Sherman B. Hibbard and wife, in Kansas City, so that the leg could have further treatment before starting home, which will very likely be Friday of this week.

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Small Commission.

Come and see me.

A. VanBuskirk
Oregon, Mo.

Came to See Us.

Charley Bruntmeyer, of the Kinsey district, gave us a delightful call, Tuesday, and were glad to see him. He came over to liquidate his obligations with County Collector Alkire. He was born in Ripley county, Indiana, November 5, 1892, and landed in Holt county in the spring of 1891, the year of the great flood, and he thought it was the "darndest" country he ever saw; but he stuck, and is prosperous.

He married Agnes, daughter of Mrs. Agnes Meek, February 5, 1890, and they have one daughter living. Their baby daughter, Grace, was drowned July 28, 1895.

Our old friend, Martin Whitmer, was in town Tuesday, celebrating his 70th birthday, visiting relatives and friends, and interviewing our affable county collector. Uncle Martin is wonderfully well preserved, and he says he is ever so glad he is still living. Martin also says they got a humile on at his pa's home 70 years ago, for it was the shortest day of the year, then as it is now.

Henry Bowles, of the Burr Oak section, was around shaking hands with friends here, Tuesday. He tells us much wheat has been sown in that flooded section, and owing to the wet conditions of the soil, it got into the soil some way or other. We were glad to see Henry looking so well.

W. L. Hodgkin and wife, of the Croson district, came in to see us, and while in town went over to see the county collector, and when notified of the amount needed to square himself with the county, had to call on his wife for her pocket book to help him out.

Attention Comrades.

The December meeting of Meyer Post will be held at the home of Daniel Kunkel, Sr., on Saturday afternoon, January 1st, 1916, at 2 o'clock. Members of the Post are urged to be present.

F. S. MORGAN, Adjutant.

Mrs. Carrie McDonald was a St. Joseph visitor, Wednesday of this week.

See the Col Glass at Phillips' Drug Store.

Judge George Hibbard's edition has not improved in any way.

Henry Dankers had business in Kansas City, one day, last week.

Mrs. Daniel Burrier was a St. Joseph visitor, Monday of this week.

You will find a large assortment of Books and Bibles at Phillips' Drug Store.

Mrs. J. C. Whitmer has returned from a visit with her parents in Savannah.

Smith S. Meadows has returned from a business trip in Jewell county, Kansas.

William Kee has been visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Will Clark, of Mound City.

Dr. Willard Proud, Oculist and Aurist, Tootle and Lemon Bank Building, St. Joseph, Mo.

Cave J. Hunt, of the Citizen's Bank, is on the sick-list, and confined to his home the past few days.

August Tapkin and wife are enjoying their Christmas week with her son, Fred Philbrick and family.

Mrs. T. A. Long and children have returned from a visit with relatives and friends in Mound City.

H. B. Lawrence and Dr. Nauman, of Craig, were transacting business in St. Joseph, Monday of this week.

Tollie Cases, Work Boxes, Manicure Sets, Postcard Albums, Medallions, Etc., at Phillips' Drug Store.

We are very sorry to hear of the illness of William Hopper, of the Exodus district, who is confined to his bed.

Mrs. Arthur Cotten and two children, of Forest City, were looking for Santa Claus in St. Joseph, Monday last.

Prof. Eldon Evans, of the Chicago University, is here enjoying Christmas with Pa and Ma, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Evans.

Lost—A yellow leather bill book, containing notes and accounts. Find or please return to this office and receive reward.

We are glad to know that Mrs. Fred Wetzel is now home, and her eyes are much better, being able to see to get around.

Mrs. Tress Vincent is spending the holiday season with her daughter, Mrs. Beulah Vaughn and husband, and daughter, Margaret, at Hale, Mo.

J. C. Menifee and wife, of Salpuga, Okla., have made many of their Oregon friends happy by sending them bags of pecans for the Yuletide season.

BERT G. PIERCE,

DENTIST,

Oregon, Mo.

Phones, Old 91, Mutual 43.

Ed Kaiser, a former citizen of this city, is reported to be in a dangerous condition at his home in St. Joseph, having recently undergone a serious operation.

Mrs. Maude Narans and son, Willie, of St. Joseph, are enjoying the holiday season with her parents, Wm. Turnham and wife, and her little son, Glenn.

James M. Shumate, of Forest City, who has been suffering from sciatica, for some time, is now on his feet again. He has been taking treatment of Dr. Turner.

Money to loan on good, safe Missouri River bottom farms, at 5 percent semi-annual interest, with a reasonable commission.

Geo. S. LUKENS.

Dolls, Doll Buggies, Doll Trunks, Doll Beds, Toy Tea Sets, Toy Sewing Machines, Toy Brooms, Toy Chests, Stoves, Automobiles, Mechanical Toys, Games and Toys of all kinds at Phillips' Drug Store.

Elliot Kurtz brought us in a curiosity in the way of a mole, last week. It is a reddish brown in color with white marks, and resembles a guinea pig in size and actions. It certainly is a curiosity.

Louis Dick, Jr., and wife, of Forbes township, left last Monday for Ree Heights, South Dakota, where they expect to make their future home. The good wishes of many friends go with them.

Money to Lend on Farms—Borrower has option to pay part or all of principal at any time. Most liberal terms ever offered. Call, write or phone to us. Costs you nothing, saves you money.

THE SINSON LOAN & TITLE CO., Offices over Nodaway Valley Bank, Maryville, Missouri.

Our Standard Dry Dip can be used in coldest weather and will positively keep your Hogs free from lice and all germs. We have it in all size packages and sell it under guarantee to do all we claim for it or no pay.
FRANK FOSTER.

Moore & Kren just received a car load of that famous Empress and Lardbee's Best Flour.

Mrs. Ed Dunham, and Esther, are spending the holiday season with relatives at Warsaw, Indiana.

Miss Sadie Winebrinner, of our high school faculty, went to her home at Clarksburg, Mo., for the holiday season.

Mrs. Clara Maupin will spend next week, at York, Neb., visiting her husband, W. T., and brother-in-law, Will M. Maupin.

A. A. Wright and Claude Lemon had a car of hogs on the St. Joseph market, Monday of this week, Claude going with them.

Miss Laura Hunter, the W. H. Richards stenographer, is enjoying her Christmas with the old folks at home, at Saxton, Mo.

J. F. Hughes, of Westboro, Mo., had business in Oregon, Friday of last week, and also visited his parents, Samuel Hughes and wife.

E. E. Phillips, of Kansas City, is here visiting his brother, E. O. Phillips, and assisting in his brother's store during the holiday rush.

Mrs. Mary Ross and daughter, Miss Neva, of Bloomington, Ill., are visiting her sister, Mother Muxlow, and niece, Mrs. Wm. M. Morris.

Guy L. Cummins was in Kansas City, Wednesday of this week, on business and to see his partner, Mr. C. D. Zook, mention of whom we make elsewhere.

Lee Smith was named by Probate Judge Dungan, on Tuesday, as the administrator of the partnership estate of the McNair & Lee Smith mercantile firm at Maitland.

The Variety Store has had a most satisfactory holiday trade, and while they have sold a vast amount of goods, they still have a large stock on hand ready for disposal.

Standard Dry Dip for winter use will positively keep your Hogs free from lice and all germs. If it don't give you absolute satisfaction, don't pay. Sold in all size packages.

FRANK FOSTER.

John Nicholson, wife and children are here for the holiday season, visiting their daughter, Guy Conrad and wife, and sister, Mrs. Wm. Morris, and Mother Muxlow.

Collector Alkire turned over to his attorney, E. E. Richards, a large number of delinquent tax bills, with instructions to begin suit, in accordance with an order of the county court.

FARM BARGAIN—50 acres good land, five miles of Forest City, \$5,000 will take it for quick deal, \$1,000 cash, balance easy payments. Torment if not sold by January 1. Box 381, Bethany, Mo.

Earl Helm, who has been working in the Robert Hatch barber shop for the past six months, has left there, going to Hamburg, Iowa, so we are informed, and his place is being filled by Ralph Jones.

The Forest City News, of Friday December 17, says: "Mrs. Anna Thompson, colored, died Thursday morning at the home of her mother, Mrs. Amanda Goodin, of that city, after a lingering illness."

We regret exceedingly to hear of the alarming illness of Mrs. Tom Frye. Beside her children here, her daughter, Mrs. George Meyer, of Mound City, has been with her, but returned to her home, Saturday.

Charles J. Kooch has returned from a few weeks' absence in Colorado, and Nebraska, where he has been conducting auction lot sales. He is more than delighted with the dry farming sections of those states.

In accordance with instructions from the Mill Creek Drainage commissioners, Engineer Wm. Morris, last week, laid out the raising and widening of the south Prussian levee of that drainage canal, which will be utilized as a roadway, which will be about a quarter of a mile in length.

Mrs. George C. Kaucher and daughter, Frances, of Memphis, Tennessee, are here with her parents, T. C. Dungan and wife, for the holiday season. They were met in Kansas City, Friday of last week, by Mrs. Dungan and her daughter, Mrs. C. A. Zachman. George will be here in a few days also.

Oregon boasts, this Xmas season of many handsomely trimmed windows, and to attempt to enumerate or describe is out of the question—all we can say is for everyone to use their eyes and enjoy the many beautiful designs and useful things that are displayed in these windows in such a charming manner.

J. C. WHITMER,

DENTIST.

PROUD BUILDING.

North Side of Square,
Both Phones.

They Are Now One.

A very quiet and happy affair took place at the Presbyterian nurse in this city, on Wednesday of this week, December 22, when Rev. T. A. Claggett united in marriage, Ed Alkire, son of the late H. L. Alkire, of Liberty township, and Miss Edna, daughter of Charles Markt and wife, of this city. The SENTINEL congratulates these two splendid young people, wishing for them a long, sweet, beautiful life. We have no better or more worthy young people, and the stock from which they come are among the very best in these parts. They were attended by Mr. Hugh Pommel and Miss Grace Alkire.

C. E. Society.

The C. E. Society met at the Christian church, last Lord's day evening, with a goodly number present. The meeting, led by Bert Maple, was very successful. Solo by Perry Brooks. Piano solo by Orpha Stewart. Topic for Sunday evening, December 26, "How to Keep On the Up-Grade." Phil. 3:12-16. You are invited to attend these meetings.

ARCHIE McDONALD.

Walter Fitzmaurice was a St. Joseph visitor, Tuesday.

Miss Anna Curtis was a St. Joseph visitor, Tuesday of this week.

Why not give a box of Moore & Kren's Chocolates for a Christmas present?

Gene Hancher, of Bigelow, had business in St. Joseph, Monday of this week.

Tuesday was shortest day of the year, and Wednesday was the beginning of winter.

Miss Trist King, principal of the high schools at Elston, Iowa, is here for the holidays.

Miss Blanche Markland, of the Falls City, Nebraska high schools, is here for the Xmas season.

Dr. A. G. Young and Robert Humberger, of Forbes, shipped a car load of hogs to St. Joseph, Thursday.

Charles Worley and wife, of Forbes, are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine ten pound boy at their home.

C. W. Craig, one of the hustling business men, of Fortescue, had business in St. Joseph, Tuesday of this week.

Corwin Zeller, wife and baby have returned from a visit with his brother, G. W. Zeller and family, of Tupper Holt.

A Christmas tree and program will be given at the school house in Forbes, this Friday evening, Dec. 21. Everybody invited.

Elmer Swope, one of the prosperous young farmers, northwest of Forest City, had business in St. Joseph, Tuesday of this week.

"The Time of Their Lives," a comedy in four acts, will be given in the New Point hall, December 25th. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

Born to Harry Hughes and wife, of the Mayflower school district, Saturday, December 18th, a boy. Dr. J. L. Hogan was in attendance.

Will Patterson was in St. Joseph Wednesday of this week, looking for a pair of socks large enough to hold what Santa Claus intends to bring him.

Wilson Kaufman and family, of Maitland, have removed to Akron, Colorado. The SENTINEL joins with their many friends in wishing them health and prosperity in their new home.

It does not require so very much money to fill your arms with suitable presents for old and young at the Variety Store. Suitable presents can be had at this store. Plenty of them still on hand.

Mrs. Rebecca Proud spent Christmas with her son, Dr. W. C. Proud and family, of St. Joseph, and O'Neal did show her a nice time taking her around town and looking at the displays in the windows.

The ladies of the Priscilla club entertained their husbands and gentlemen friends at the home of Miss Edna Markt, Tuesday evening of this week. A delightful evening was passed in music, games, etc., and at a seasonable hour an appetizing two-course luncheon was served.

Lin Muse and wife left Thursday of this week for Stapleton, Neb., where they will visit their son, Edgar and family, and also William Landrey, a brother of Mrs. Muse, whom she has not seen for 27 years. Mr. Landrey, who is one of the prominent farmers of that section, formerly resided in Holt county, being a resident of Forest City. Mr. and Mrs. Muse will be absent a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Blevins and four children, of St. Anthony, Idaho, arrived Monday, and are guests at the Charles Cowan home, Mrs. Blevins being a daughter of Mr. Cowan. Mr. Blevins will also visit his father and mother, D. M. Blevins and wife, of Troy, Kansas, formerly of Mound City, this county. John is now in the employ of Uncle Sam, and is in the internal revenue service as deputy collector of income tax for the state of Idaho, under the Montana division.

Fortescue.

John Perot, of Oregon, was in Fortescue, Monday.

Mrs. C. W. Craig was shopping in St. Joseph, Friday.

Mrs. B. L. Hinkle has been on the sick list the past week.

W. C. Blatter and Gen. V. Hinkle were in Forest City, Friday evening.

Miss Hattie Gelsin has returned from a visit in Kansas City and Oregon.

Messlames S. M. Howard and R. C. Brownlee spent Thursday in St. Joseph.

Leo Meyer, of St. Joseph, was a guest at the George Minton home, Sunday.

Jay Minton is home from the State University at Columbia, for the holidays.

Mrs. E. L. Craig has returned from a visit in St. Joseph with Mrs. B. W. Hangeock.

Miss Alpha Hinkle is home from the Nebraska State University at Lincoln, Neb.

Mrs. Sallie Orwick has moved into her new cottage which has just been completed.

M. L. Batson and wife left Wednesday to spend Christmas with relatives at Robinson, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Batson, of Robinson, who visited their son, M. L. Batson and family, have returned to their home.

Miss Helen Huston, our popular "central" was unable to be at the office Friday on account of a severe cold.

Harold Kahn, who is living on the Kahn farm, near Oregon, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Anna Kahn.

J. L. Bird, of Kansas City, was here, this week, assisting Mrs. Batson in the lumber yard. Mr. Bird is manager of the Kansas City office of the Arkansas Valley Lumber Co.

Rev. Cooley was called to St. Joseph, Saturday, on account of the death of a brother. He accompanied the remains to Butler, Mo., and returned to continue the meetings, Monday evening.

The Haden Edwards sale held at his home at the Lake, Saturday, was well attended and everything sold well. Mr. Edwards recently sold his farm to John Iden and is making his home with Mr. and Mrs. Iden. John Edwards and Lovell Edwards, of Creston, Iowa; Wm. Edwards, of Rhinehart, Mo.; Mrs. M. Ditter, of Norton, Kansas; Mrs. W. L. Hodgkin and Homer Edwards, of near Oregon, his children, were all there for the sale.

FRANK FOSTER.

To the Sunny Southland.

When such people as Laurence Walker leave a community that community is the loser, and wherever he locates, the people among whom he casts his lot is the gainer. It is with keen regret that we record the fact that Mr. Walker and family and his dear old mother have concluded to take up their residence in Macon, Miss., where Mr. Walker goes on account of his health, and not because of any dissatisfaction with Holt county. We do hope the change may prove beneficial to Mr. Walker and family in every way. His brother Warrie also went with him, but will remain only a few weeks.

Miss Fanny Meyer is entertaining her friend, Miss Swope, of Kansas City.

Mrs. Frank Foster was in St. Joseph for a few days, this week, called by the sickness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. James Thuma.

Miss Mary Moore, who is teaching piano in Mrs. F. H. Russell's studios in Chicago and Evanston, Illinois, is at home for the holiday season with her parents.

Mrs. F. H. Graham was in St. Joseph, Wednesday, called by her daughter, Miss Nellie, who is suffering with the grippe, and who returned home with her until she has sufficiently recovered so that she can return to her work in the telephone exchange.

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